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1845

Fulton Harness Shop
2 S. Main Street
Bel Air
Private

This small clapboard shop is Bel Air's only remaining artisan's shop. Built in 1845, it was the harness shop of James Fulton until 1890. It is typical of many little pre-Civil War shops and its survival on a prime corner in Town is remarkable.

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Christian Science Reading Room

AND/OR COMMON

Fulton Harness Shop

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

2 S. Main

1st

CITY, TOWN

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Bel Air

VICINITY OF

STATE

COUNTY

Maryland

Harford

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

___DISTRICT

☒ BUILDING(S)

___STRUCTURE

___SITE

___OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

___PUBLIC

☒ PRIVATE

___BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

___IN PROCESS

___BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED

___UNOCCUPIED

___WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☒ YES RESTRICTED

___YES UNRESTRICTED

___NO

PRESENT USE

___AGRICULTURE

___COMMERCIAL

☒ EDUCATIONAL

___ENTERTAINMENT

___GOVERNMENT

___INDUSTRIAL

___MILITARY

___MUSEUM

___PARK

___PRIVATE RESIDENCE

☒ RELIGIOUS

___SCIENTIFIC

___TRANSPORTATION

___OTHER

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Margaret and Elizabeth Smithers

Telephone #: 885-5577

STREET & NUMBER

Box 74

CITY, TOWN

Chesapeake City

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21915

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Harford County Courthouse

STREET & NUMBER

Main Street

CITY, TOWN

Bel Air

STATE

Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

___FEDERAL ___STATE ___COUNTY ___LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

NA-015

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This small story and a half clapboard building is at the southwest corner of South Main Street and Pennsylvania Avenue in the Town of Bel Air, Harford County, Maryland. The building was originally a three part structure, a three bay gable roofed portion with a shed addition to the rear and a shed roof porch on the front. The windows were double hung sash, 6/6. The sashes in the half story have been recently replaced but are of the same construction. Sometime between the publication of the 1904 Insurance Map and the 1930 Insurance Map the porch was enclosed and extended one bay to the south, so that the front (east) elevation now shows four plate glass windows of unequal size with a door in the middle. There are two other entries, one (disused) in the south elevation, probably Mr. Fulton's access to his shop, since it gives onto the yard of the Fulton House next door, and one in the north elevation in the shed addition.

The interior has four rooms on the first floor: the enclosed porch, the central block, which is used as the meeting room by the Christian Scientists, and two rooms of unequal size in the shed addition. The northernmost of these rooms has a small bathroom in the northeast corner. Very little of the interior finish can be observed since the porch and meeting room have been panelled with sheetwood. The staircase to the half story has been changed since 1972. A narrow steep enclosed stair rose along the south side facing east with access from the central block. The stairway, still narrow, steep, and enclosed now runs west, in the same place, with access from the porch. The half story has been finished and is used as a Nursery and Sunday School.

A full basement is under the building, the part under the shed addition being more recent, and probably dating from the installation of the furnace. Access is by a pair of metal doors flush with the sidewalk on the north (Pennsylvania Avenue) side. Just west of the doors is a metaled over coal chute. Twice, once recently, the floor of the main block has been reinforced by new beams.

A small, square, utilitarian stove chimney rises outside the west (rear) elevation of the shed.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

8 SIGNIFICANCE

nr-15

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW		
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES 1845 BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This small board shop, built in 1845 by James Fulton to serve as his harness shop, is the oldest remaining commercial stand in Bel Air. Typical of the little shops of the 18th and early 19th Century Mechanic, this building is a remarkable survival. Mr. Fulton made and mended harness there for half a century. He retired in 1892 "feeling the weight of his four score years" and sold his business, although not the property, to John Bauer who had worked for him for over twenty years. The Harford Democrat of January 1, 1892, remarked that Fulton "retires without a blemish on a good name and transfers his business to a successor who bears the same reputation for promptness and integrity." Fulton died in 1897 at 86 years old leaving three surviving children, Mrs. John S. Young of Bel Air, and Mrs. Joseph Weizel and John A. Fulton of Cumberland.

The 1904 Insurance Map of Bel Air shows that the building was still occupied by a harness shop. The insurance map for 1930, corrected in 1960 and 1962, shows the addition of one bay to the south in the front (east) blocks from the appearance of the overlay the change was made between 1930 and 1960.

The title to this building has passed along with the house next door (the Fulton-Young House). Mr. Fulton's heirs held it undivided until 1941. In that year H. Miller Scarborough, Mary, his wife, and J. Harvey Scarborough, heirs at law of John A. Fulton sold their share in the property to Florence Young Maulsby, Elizabeth C. Smithers, and Minnie Margaret Smithers, heirs of Mary. Fulton Young, for \$10,000 (267/332). The Misses Smithers own it today. It is occupied by the Christian Science Reading Room. Around 1932 Kroh's Nursery had its headquarters in the building but soon found it too small and moved to Bond Street. Richardson's Florists was there in the 1960's, and after that a Music Store occupied the premises until the Christian Science Reading Room leased it in 1972.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 1/2 a +

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

This property occupies the northeast corner of parcel #818 in the Town of Bel Air.

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE _____ COUNTY _____

STATE _____ COUNTY _____

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

M. Larew, Architectural Historian

26 February 1979

ORGANIZATION

Town of Bel Air

DATE

STREET & NUMBER

39 Hickory Ave.

838-8700

TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN

Bel Air

STATE

Maryland

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

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RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

TITLE: Christian Science Reading Room

267/332

4 August 1941

H. Miller Scarborough & Mary B., wife, and
J. Harvey Scarborough, widower

to

Florence Young Maulsby, Elizabeth C. Smithers
& Minnie Margaret Smithers

a quit-claim release for \$10,000

on the property

a complicated legal dispute partially solved
by Weaver vs. Mc Gonigall, 170 Md. 212

(see file) both the grantors and the grantees
claimed this and other property by virtue
of descent from James A. Fulton who died in
1897. Grantors were heirs at law of John
A. Fulton, last surviving child of James A.
Fulton; grantees were heirs of John's sister
Mary Fulton Young whose husband, John S.
Young, had survived her and had been in
possession of this property for "50 years
or more."

70/439

2 May 1891

Daniel Scott and Cornelia, wife, and Annie
G. Winchester, widow

to

James A. Fulton

\$1100

the lot in Bel Air where he lives 1/2 a.

14/41

20 March 1863

Otho Scott

to

James Fulton lease \$66/a "all that house and
lot" "houses" to be insured

Fulton must have lost it as a result to debt

31/85

24 May 1845

Augustus Bradford of Baltimore, trustee

to

James A. Fulton Lot #5 (1/2 A.) \$120 at
public sale

The courtcase, 16 May 1842, Lee Magness
recovered a judgment against George N.
Warden for \$1000 and costs to be released

on payment of \$600 with interest from 1837. Warden died in 1842 without paying. The court ordered the sale of property. Warden owned lot #5 and the pleading makes no mention of a house.

The sale price suggests no house. (Box 694, Harford County Equity Records)

23/351

20 May 1840

Benjamin Bond

to

George N. Warden

\$220 Lot #5 1/2 a ±

MD. HISTORICAL TRUST
BOX 1704
ANNAPOLIS, MD. 21404NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE:

COUNTY:

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ENTRY NUMBER

DATE

1. NAME

COMMON:

Smiths' Shop

AND/OR HISTORIC:

The Old J. S. Fulton Saddlery Shop

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:

#2 South Main Street, West side, between

CITY OR TOWN:

Bel Air

Pennsylvania Avenue & Office St.

STATE

Maryland

COOE

COUNTY

Harford

COOE

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY
(Check One)

OWNERSHIP

STATUS

ACCESSIBLE
TO THE PUBLICDistrict ☐
Site ☐☒ Building
☐ Structure☐ Public
☒ Private☐ Both

Public Acquisition:

In Process

Being Considered

Occupied

☒ UnoccupiedPreservation work
in progress

Yes:

☒ Restricted

Unrestricted

No:

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Agricultural

☐

Government

☐

Park

☐

Transportation

☐

Comments

☐

Commercial

☐

Industrial

☐

Private Residence

☐

Other (Specify)

☐

Educational

☐

Military

☐

Religious

☐

Entertainment

☐

Museum

☐

Scientific

☐

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNERS NAME:

Elizabeth D. Smithers

STREET AND NUMBER:

Box 74

CITY OR TOWN:

Chesapeake City

STATE:

Maryland 2/9/5

COOE

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

STREET AND NUMBER:

HARFORD COUNTY COURTHOUSE

40 S. MAIN ST.

CITY OR TOWN:

BEL AIR

STATE:

MARYLAND

COOE

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:

DATE OF SURVEY:

Federal ☐State ☐County ☐Local ☐

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN:

STATE:

COOE

STATE:

COUNTY:

ENTRY NUMBER

DATE

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	Excellent <input type="checkbox"/>	Good <input type="checkbox"/>	Fair <input type="checkbox"/>	Deteriorated <input type="checkbox"/>	Ruins <input type="checkbox"/>	Unexposed <input type="checkbox"/>
INTEGRITY	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	Altered <input type="checkbox"/> Unaltered <input type="checkbox"/>			Moved <input type="checkbox"/> Original Site <input type="checkbox"/>		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Small frame shop, shingled. one story
 3 bays x 2, with shallow porch
 enclosed ~~underneath~~ and low-to space
 at the rear. The low peak roof
 ridgeline runs north-south, the shop
 faces east.

SEE INSTRUCTIONS

8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Pre-Columbian ☐16th Century ☐18th Century ☐20th Century ☐15th Century ☐17th Century ☐19th Century ☒

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Aboriginal ☐Education ☐Political ☐Urban Planning ☐Prehistoric ☐Engineering ☐

Religion/Phi-

Other (Specify) ☐Historic ☐Industry ☐losophy ☐Agriculture ☐Invention ☐Science ☐Art ☐Landscape ☐Sculpture ☐Commerce ☒Architecture ☐

Social/Human-

Communications ☐Literature ☐itorion ☐Conservation ☐Military ☐Theater ☐Music ☐Transportation ☐

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)

Miss Minnie and Miss Elizabeth Smith
own this property. two buildings on
the corner lot, together. (See HA 215)

The valuable site will remain unchanged
while either is alive, evidently.

The 19th Century is preserved here.

SEE INSTRUCTIONS

9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Interview with Mrs. Sarah Ferwood at her home at
531 Grosse Street in Bal Ar. April 19th 1878.
Mantons Map of Harford County 1878

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY			O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN ONE ACRE		
CORNER	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE		LATITUDE	LONGITUDE	
	Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds		Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds	
NW	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	° ' "	
NE	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	° ' "	
SE	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	° ' "	
SW	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	° ' "	

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE:	COOE	COUNTY	COOE
STATE:	COOE	COUNTY:	COOE
STATE:	COOE	COUNTY:	COOE
STATE:	COOE	COUNTY:	COOE

11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE:		
JEAN S. EWING		
ORGANIZATION	DATE	
MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST		
STREET AND NUMBER:		
50 STATE CIRCLE		
CITY OR TOWN:	STATE	COOE
ANNAPOLIS	MARYLAND	

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National ☐ State ☐ Local ☐

Name _____

Title _____

Date _____

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date _____

ATTEST:

Keeper of The National Register

Date _____

SEE INSTRUCTIONS

267/ 332 *Fulton - young House*

\$11.00 Federal Stamps. Aug. 22, 1941 Mailed to Eldridge Hood Young, 54 Central Sav. Bank Bldg.
Balto., Md.
\$10.00 State Stamps. Trfd.

THIS DEED, made this 4th day of August A.D. 1941 by H. MILLER SCARBOROUGH and MARY B. SCARBOROUGH, his wife, and J. HARVEY SCARBOROUGH, widower.

WHEREAS the said grantors claim title to the hereinafter described tract or parcel of land acquired by James A. Fulton by deed from Daniel Scott and wife and Annie G. Winchester dated May 2, 1891, and recorded among the Land Records of Harford County in Liber A.L.J. No. 70 folio 439; the said James A. Fulton, widower, having departed this life intestate on September 25, 1897, leaving as his only heirs at law and next of kin a son, John A. Fulton, and two daughters, Mary, who intermarried with John S. Young, and Susan, who intermarried with Joseph Weizel, and the said Mary Fulton Young departed this life on May 10, 1905, intestate, without issue survived by her husband John S. Young and leaving a brother, said John A. Fulton, and her sister Susan Weizel surviving; that Susan Weizel departed this life intestate and without issue on June 18, 1915, her husband Joseph Weizel surviving, who departed this life unmarried, and without issue on March 24, 1925; and John A. Fulton (the last surviving child of James A. Fulton) unmarried, departed this life February 14, 1934, leaving a last will and testament and codicils wherein he devised all of the rest, residue and remainder (including the tract or parcel of land hereinafter described) to his heirs at law and first cousins, which by construction of the Court of Appeals of Maryland in Weaver vs. McGonigall 170 Md. 212, it was determined that the said residuary estate devolved from Mary A. Scarborough and Josephine McGonigall; that Mary A. Scarborough departed this life on January 25, 1935, intestate leaving as her only heirs at law and next of kin said J. Harvey Scarborough, husband, and said H. Miller Scarborough, son; that said Josephine McGonigall departed this life on or about December 1, 1936, leaving a last will and testament in which she devised all the rest, residue and remainder of her estate (her interest in the tract or parcel of land hereinafter described being included therein) unto her nephew the said H. Miller Scarborough (see Wills Records of Harford County, Liber A.J.G. No. 20 folio 20); and WHEREAS, Florence Young Mauleby, Elizabeth C. Smithers and Minnie Margaret Smithers, claim the tract or parcel of land hereinafter described as the residuary devisees of John S. Young, late of Harford County, deceased, who had been living upon and in possession of said tract or parcel of land for fifty years or more, and WHEREAS the grantors herein have agreed to convey the tract or parcel of land hereinafter described to the residuary devisees of John S. Young upon the payment of \$10,000.00 and quit claim and release all the right, title and interest of said grantors in the estate of James A. Fulton in and to said tract or parcel of land.

NOW THEREFORE THIS DEED WITNESSETH: that for and in consideration of the premises and the payment of said sum of \$10,000.00 receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said H. Miller Scarborough, Mary B. Scarborough, his wife, and J. Harvey Scarborough, do grant, convey, assign, release and quit claim unto the said FLORENCE YOUNG MAULEBY, ELIZABETH C. SMITHERS and MINNIE MARGARET SMITHERS, their heirs and assigns, all the right, title and interest of said grantors or of those claiming, by, from or under them in and to all that tract or parcel of land situate in the Town of Bel Air, Harford County, and the State of Maryland, and described as follows: Beginning for the same at the southwesterly intersection of Pennsylvania Avenue and Main Street at an iron pin driven in the ground at said intersection and running thence in a southerly direction along the westerly side of Main Street 76.31' more or less to a leasehold lot of ground formerly owned by John S. Young and Millicent L. Young (both now deceased); thence in a westerly direction 297' to the easterly side of Bond Street; thence in a northerly direction along the easterly side of Bond Street 72.16' to the southeasterly corner of Bond Street and Pennsylvania Avenue; thence along the southerly side of Pennsylvania Avenue in an

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
21 STATE CIRCLE
SHAW HOUSE
ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND 21401

HISTORIC SITES SURVEY FIELD SHEET
Individual Structure Survey Form

COUNTY: Harford
TOWN: Bel Air
LOCATION: 2 S. Main Street
Bel Air, Maryland 21014
COMMON NAME:
Christian Science Reading Room
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Commercial
OWNER: Margaret & Elizabeth Smithers
ADDRESS: Box 74
Chesapeake City, Md. 21915
ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC:
Yes () No () Restricted (X)
LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE:
Local (X) State () National ()

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

Structural System

1. Foundation: Stone(X) Brick() Concrete() Concrete Block(X)
2. Wall Structure
 - A. Wood Frame: Post and Beam(X) Balloon()
 - B. Wood Bearing Masonry: Brick() Stone() Concrete() Concrete Block()
 - C. Iron() D. Steel() E. Other:
3. Wall Covering: Clapboard(X) Board and Batten() Wood Shingle() Shiplap()
Novelty() Stucco() Sheet Metal() Aluminum() Asphalt Shingle()
Brick Veneer() Stone Veneer()
Bonding Pattern: Other:
4. Roof Structure
 - A. Truss: Wood() Iron() Steel() Concrete()
 - B. Other:
5. Roof Covering: Slate() Wood Shingle() Asphalt Shingle(X) Sheet Metal()
Built Up() Rolled() Tile() Other:
6. Engineering Structure:
7. Other:

Appendages: Porches(X) Towers() Cupolas() Dormers() Chimneys(X) Sheds(X) Ells()
Wings () Other: porch enclosed

Roof Style: Gable(X) Hip() Shed() Flat() Mansard() Gambrel() Jerkinhead()
Saw Tooth() With Monitor() With Bellcast() With Parapet() With False Front()
Other:

Number of Stories: 1-1/2

Number of Bays: 5

Approximate Dimensions: 23'5" x 32'

SURVEY NUMBER: HA-215

NEGATIVE FILE NUMBER:

UTM REFERENCES:
Zone/Easting/Northing

U.S.G.S. QUAD. MAP:

PRESENT FORMAL NAME:
Christian Science Reading Room

ORIGINAL FORMAL NAME:
James Fulton's Harness Shop

PRESENT USE: Religious

ORIGINAL USE: Harness Shop

ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:

BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:

PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE:
Excellent() Good()
Fair(X) Poor: ()

THEME: Architectural

STYLE: Vernacular

DATE BUILT: c. 1845

THREAT TO STRUCTURE:
No Threat() Zoning() Roads()
Development() Deterioration()
Alteration() Other: sidewalk building
along Pa. Ave.; may be moved

LOCAL ATTITUDES:
Positive(X) Negative()
Mixed() Other:

ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL OR STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

Upstairs Sunday School and Nursery
Porch and meeting room wood panel
Staircase changed from inside meeting room running east to a west run
with access from porch

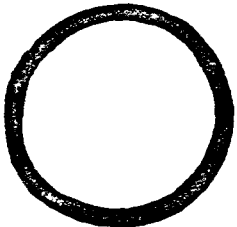
RELATED STRUCTURES: (Describe)

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

The oldest remaining commercial
stand in town. Excellent example of
mechanic's shop.

REFERENCES:

MAP: (Indicate North In Circle)



SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:

Open Lane()Woodland()Scattered Buildings()
Moderately Built Up()Densely Built Up()
Residential()Commercial(X)
Agricultural()Industrial()
Roadside Strip Development()
Other:

M. Larew

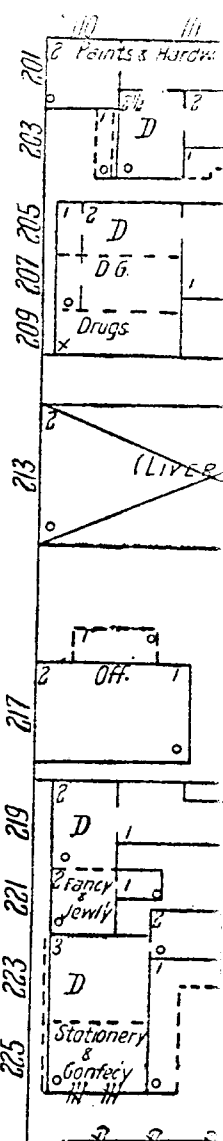
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Town of Bel Air

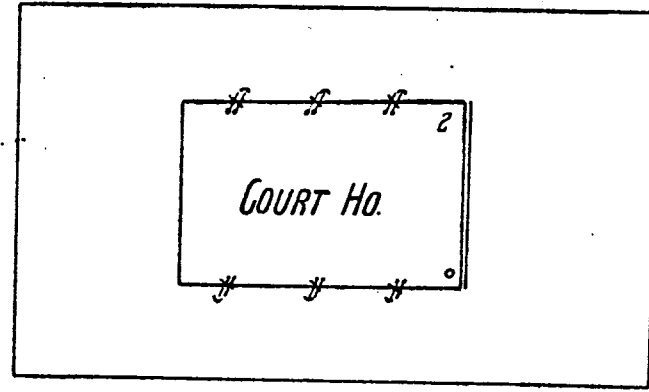
ORGANIZATION:

13 March 1979

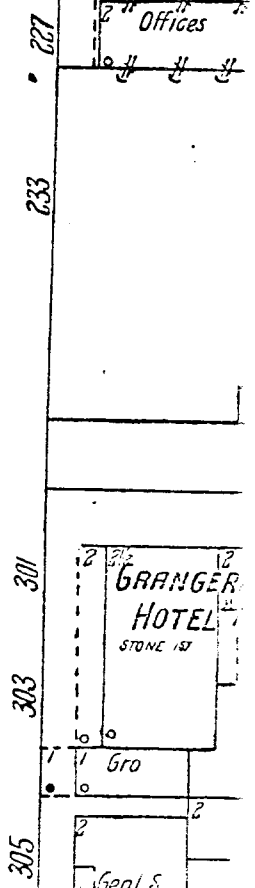
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WALL



COURTLAND







CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOM (FULTON HARNESS SHOP)

25. MAIN ST. BEL AIR

E + N ELEVATIONS

11 NORTH ST.

HA-215





HA-215

CUT FLOWERS
AND
POTTED PLANTS

Richardson's Florist
TOWN SHOP

PHONE TE. 8-4266

WEDDING FLOWERS
AND
CORSAGES



HA-215

THIS PHOTOGRAPH
By: W. Robert Wallis
Fountain Green Road
Bel Air, Md.